

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

ORDER No. 91-128
NPDES No. CA006068

RESCISSION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR:

UNION OIL COMPANY
RICHMOND TERMINAL
RICHMOND, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region (hereinafter called the Board) finds that:

1. Union Oil Company (hereinafter called discharger) owns and operates a bulk terminal located at 1300 Canal Boulevard, Richmond.
2. The terminal receives and stores petroleum fuels and lubricants which are blended, packaged and shipped by barge or truck. Wastewater from Union Oil Company consists of a daily average of 10,000 gallons of polluted stormwater runoff from the tank farms, washdown from the product loading and storage areas, process wastewater from the warehouse area, and tank water draws.
3. The Board on September 20, 1989 adopted Waste Discharge Requirements, NPDES Permit, Order No. 89-157 for Union Oil Company of California. The permit prescribes requirements for the discharge of process wastewater and polluted stormwater runoff.
4. The discharger submitted a stormwater management plan on May 11, 1990. The plan consists of segregating stormwater runoff from process areas (polluted runoff) from runoff from asphalt parking areas (unpolluted runoff). All process wastewater and polluted stormwater runoff are now being discharged to the city of Richmond's sanitary sewer system.
5. Board staff visually inspected the facility on July 29, 1991 to verify the conditions. It was determined that the only direct discharge to surface waters from the facility consists of stormwater runoff from the asphalt parking areas. This runoff should not contain any pollutants of concern and therefore, does not need to be subject to waste discharge requirements at this time.

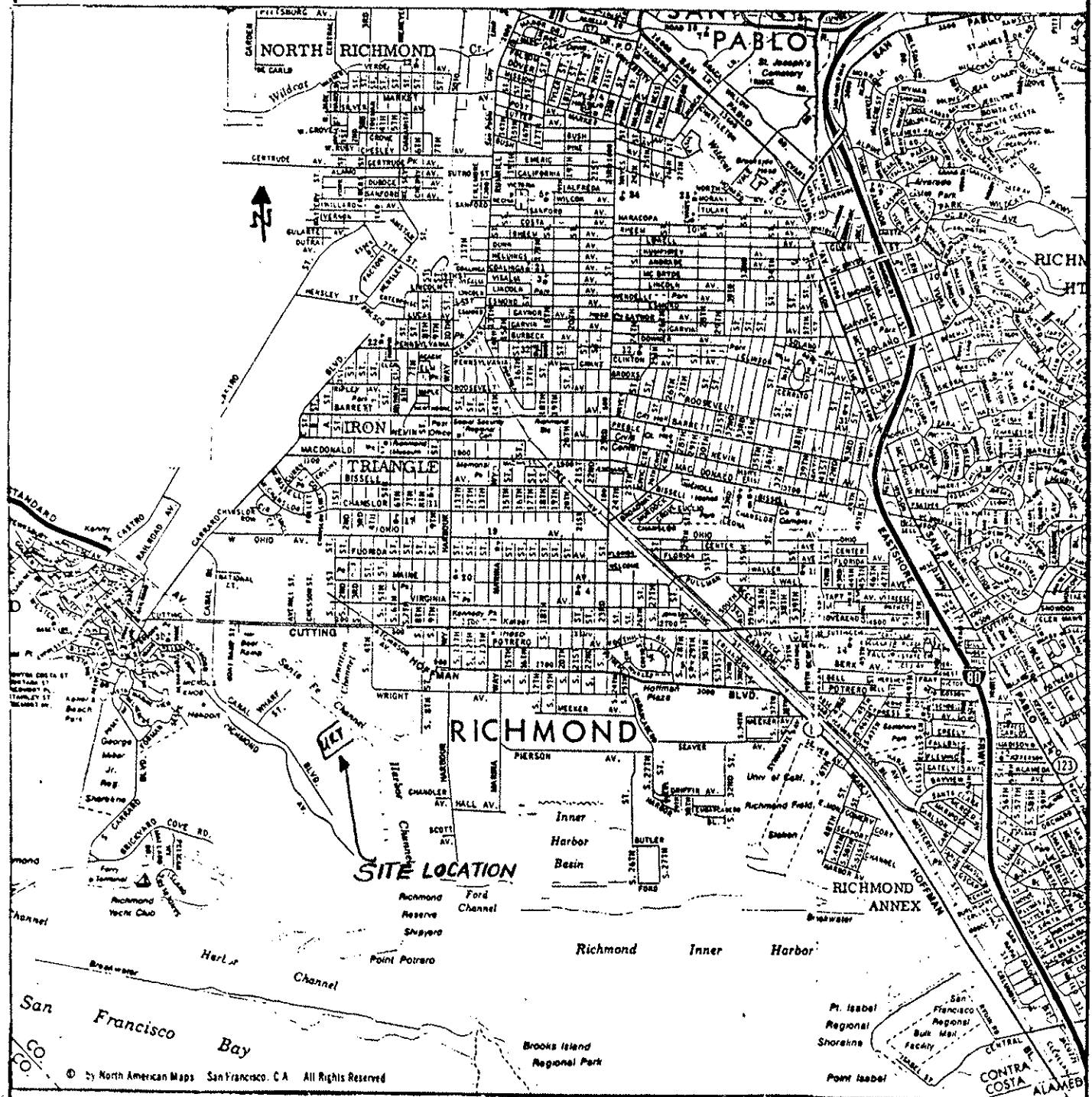
6. The rescission of the permit for the discharge is exempt from the provisions of Chapter 13 (commencing with Section 21000 of Division 13) of the Public Resources Code (CEQA) pursuant to Section 13389 of the California Water Code.
7. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the rescission of waste discharge and requirements for Union Oil Company.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Order No. 89-157 is rescinded.

I, Steven R. Ritchie, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay on September 18, 1991.



STEVEN R. RITCHIE,
Executive Officer



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LOCATION MAP
UNOCAL RICHMOND TERMINAL
(URT)

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